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For: MULTIPLE FLAME TORCH APPARATUS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified patent application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed herewith.

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**SIR:**

In connection with the above-identified patent application, and in response to the outstanding office action dated October 3, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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